

WHEAT PRICES UP IN CHICAGO PIT

Realization That Russian Grain
Cannot Be Moved Soon
Caused Advance.

CHICAGO, March 8.—At the opening of the Board of Trade today May wheat advanced 1 cent to \$1.17. This improvement was due largely to reports that the movement of Russian wheat through the Dardanelles is a matter of weeks, and not days as was at first believed. In the late afternoon May wheat rose to \$1.19, ending at \$1.20.

There was no news to account for the rise in wheat prices today, and the advance was as the result of heavy speculation.

The Government crop report, which was made immediately after the close of the Board of Trade today, was construed by a man in wheat as a bullish document. It showed the amount to be around 165,000,000 bushels, or 17.5 per cent. of the 1914 crop, compared with 151,000,000 bushels, or 19.9 per cent. of the 1913 crop.

The visible supply of American wheat decreased 2,000,000 bushels, corn decreased 1,000,000 bushels, and the visible supply of Canadian wheat decreased 1,000,000 bushels; oats decreased 1,000,000 bushels. The bonded visible supply of wheat decreased 17,000 bushels; corn increased 18,000 bushels; oats decreased 16,000 bushels.

Local factors ranged as follows:

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close	Settle
May	1.17	1.19	1.18	1.20	1.20
July	1.15	1.17	1.16	1.18	1.18
Sept.	1.13	1.15	1.14	1.16	1.16
Nov.	1.11	1.13	1.12	1.14	1.14
Dec.	1.10	1.12	1.11	1.13	1.13
Jan.	1.09	1.11	1.10	1.12	1.12
Feb.	1.08	1.10	1.09	1.11	1.11
Mar.	1.07	1.09	1.08	1.10	1.10
Apr.	1.06	1.08	1.07	1.09	1.09
May	1.05	1.07	1.06	1.08	1.08
June	1.04	1.06	1.05	1.07	1.07
July	1.03	1.05	1.04	1.06	1.06
Aug.	1.02	1.04	1.03	1.05	1.05
Sept.	1.01	1.03	1.02	1.04	1.04
Oct.	1.00	1.02	1.01	1.03	1.03
Nov.	0.99	1.01	1.00	1.02	1.02
Dec.	0.98	1.00	0.99	1.01	1.01
Jan.	0.97	0.99	0.98	1.00	1.00
Feb.	0.96	0.98	0.97	0.99	0.99
Mar.	0.95	0.97	0.96	0.98	0.98
Apr.	0.94	0.96	0.95	0.97	0.97
May	0.93	0.95	0.94	0.96	0.96
June	0.92	0.94	0.93	0.95	0.95
July	0.91	0.93	0.92	0.94	0.94
Aug.	0.90	0.92	0.91	0.93	0.93
Sept.	0.89	0.91	0.90	0.92	0.92
Oct.	0.88	0.90	0.89	0.91	0.91
Nov.	0.87	0.89	0.88	0.90	0.90
Dec.	0.86	0.88	0.87	0.89	0.89
Jan.	0.85	0.87	0.86	0.88	0.88
Feb.	0.84	0.86	0.85	0.87	0.87
Mar.	0.83	0.85	0.84	0.86	0.86
Apr.	0.82	0.84	0.83	0.85	0.85
May	0.81	0.83	0.82	0.84	0.84
June	0.80	0.82	0.81	0.83	0.83
July	0.79	0.81	0.80	0.82	0.82
Aug.	0.78	0.80	0.79	0.81	0.81
Sept.	0.77	0.79	0.78	0.80	0.80
Oct.	0.76	0.78	0.77	0.79	0.79
Nov.	0.75	0.77	0.76	0.78	0.78
Dec.	0.74	0.76	0.75	0.77	0.77
Jan.	0.73	0.75	0.74	0.76	0.76
Feb.	0.72	0.74	0.73	0.75	0.75
Mar.	0.71	0.73	0.72	0.74	0.74
Apr.	0.70	0.72	0.71	0.73	0.73
May	0.69	0.71	0.70	0.72	0.72
June	0.68	0.70	0.69	0.71	0.71
July	0.67	0.69	0.68	0.70	0.70
Aug.	0.66	0.68	0.67	0.69	0.69
Sept.	0.65	0.67	0.66	0.68	0.68
Oct.	0.64	0.66	0.65	0.67	0.67
Nov.	0.63	0.65	0.64	0.66	0.66
Dec.	0.62	0.64	0.63	0.65	0.65
Jan.	0.61	0.63	0.62	0.64	0.64
Feb.	0.60	0.62	0.61	0.63	0.63
Mar.	0.59	0.61	0.60	0.62	0.62
Apr.	0.58	0.60	0.59	0.61	0.61
May	0.57	0.59	0.58	0.60	0.60
June	0.56	0.58	0.57	0.59	0.59
July	0.55	0.57	0.56	0.58	0.58
Aug.	0.54	0.56	0.55	0.57	0.57
Sept.	0.53	0.55	0.54	0.56	0.56
Oct.	0.52	0.54	0.53	0.55	0.55
Nov.	0.51	0.53	0.52	0.54	0.54
Dec.	0.50	0.52	0.51	0.53	0.53
Jan.	0.49	0.51	0.50	0.52	0.52
Feb.	0.48	0.50	0.49	0.51	0.51
Mar.	0.47	0.49	0.48	0.50	0.50
Apr.	0.46	0.48	0.47	0.49	0.49
May	0.45	0.47	0.46	0.48	0.48
June	0.44	0.46	0.45	0.47	0.47
July	0.43	0.45	0.44	0.46	0.46
Aug.	0.42	0.44	0.43	0.45	0.45
Sept.	0.41	0.43	0.42	0.44	0.44
Oct.	0.40	0.42	0.41	0.43	0.43
Nov.	0.39	0.41	0.40	0.42	0.42
Dec.	0.38	0.40	0.39	0.41	0.41
Jan.	0.37	0.39	0.38	0.40	0.40
Feb.	0.36	0.38	0.37	0.39	0.39
Mar.	0.35	0.37	0.36	0.38	0.38
Apr.	0.34	0.36	0.35	0.37	0.37
May	0.33	0.35	0.34	0.36	0.36
June	0.32	0.34	0.33	0.35	0.35
July	0.31	0.33	0.32	0.34	0.34
Aug.	0.30	0.32	0.31	0.33	0.33
Sept.	0.29	0.31	0.30	0.32	0.32
Oct.	0.28	0.30	0.29	0.31	0.31
Nov.	0.27	0.29	0.28	0.30	0.30
Dec.	0.26	0.28	0.27	0.29	0.29
Jan.	0.25	0.27	0.26	0.28	0.28
Feb.	0.24	0.26	0.25	0.27	0.27
Mar.	0.23	0.25	0.24	0.26	0.26
Apr.	0.22	0.24	0.23	0.25	0.25
May	0.21	0.23	0.22	0.24	0.24
June	0.20	0.22	0.21	0.23	0.23
July	0.19	0.21	0.20	0.22	0.22
Aug.	0.18	0.20	0.19	0.21	0.21
Sept.	0.17	0.19	0.18	0.20	0.20
Oct.	0.16	0.18	0.17	0.19	0.19
Nov.	0.15	0.17	0.16	0.18	0.18
Dec.	0.14	0.16	0.15	0.17	0.17
Jan.	0.13	0.15	0.14	0.16	0.16
Feb.	0.12	0.14	0.13	0.15	0.15
Mar.	0.11	0.13	0.12	0.14	0.14
Apr.	0.10	0.12	0.11	0.13	0.13
May	0.09	0.11	0.10	0.12	0.12
June	0.08	0.10	0.09	0.11	0.11
July	0.07	0.09	0.08	0.10	0.10
Aug.	0.06	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.09
Sept.	0.05	0.07	0.06	0.08	0.08
Oct.	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.07
Nov.	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.06
Dec.	0.02	0.04	0.03	0.05	0.05
Jan.	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.04
Feb.	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.03
Mar.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.02	0.02
Apr.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
May	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
June	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
July	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Aug.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Sept.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Oct.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Nov.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Dec.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Jan.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Feb.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Mar.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Apr.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
May	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
June	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
July	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Aug.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Sept.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Oct.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Nov.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Dec.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Jan.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Feb.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Mar.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Apr.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
May	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
June	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
July	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Aug.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Sept.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Oct.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Nov.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Dec.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Jan.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Feb.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Mar.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Apr.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
May	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
June	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
July	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Aug.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Sept.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Oct.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Nov.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Dec.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Jan.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Feb.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Mar.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Apr.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
May	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
June	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
July	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Aug.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Sept.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Oct.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Nov.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Dec.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Jan.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Feb.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Mar.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Apr.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
May	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
June	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
July	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Aug.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Sept.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Oct.	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0